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Comments on 2022-R-A-0011: Low Emission Vehicle Program

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Comments:

This is not a positive move for the state. Electric vehicles may have a place for those who chose to have one. This should not be mandated for many reasons. 1) They are cost prohibitive for most of us. 2) The cost of producing the materials for produces more ecological harm than gas powered vehicles. 3) The cost of recharging the vehicles is more expensive than the cost of gas powered vehicles. 4) They are impractical for long trips due to the time it takes to charge them--what would normally take a three day drive can add another day or two to the drive. 5) There is no consideration being given to the fact that mandating electric cars will put an untenable burden of the already precarious electrical grid. Please reconsider this proposal and reject it. Until the issues above are addressed this is not viable solution to any environmental concern.